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After prolonged negotiations we have entered into an Agreement with the Government of the United States of Mexico by which the latter will, on certain terms and conditions, acquire by purchase from us very large amount of the several classes of the capital stock of your Company. advantages to all other stockholders of having the Mexican Government largely interested

as a stockholder in your Company are self-evident. Besides these advantages, the above-mentioned Agreement provides, among other things, as fol-

In the event of the purchase by the Government being consummated, the Government will transfer to us, for sale to the Railroad Company at cost, its holding of £1.000,000 4½% Second Debenture Stock of the Interoceanic Railway Company of Mexico (Acapulco to Vera Cruz), Limited. By the acquisition of this debenture stock the National Railroad Company of Mexico will, with the preference and common shares of the Interoceanic Company already owned, practically control the Interoceanic Railway, and thus not only secure a valuable line from the City of Mexico to Vera Cruz and the much needed outlet to the Gulf of Mexico, but become at the same time the largest railway system in Mexico.

The Government will also procure, in the event of said purchase, in favor of the National Railroad Company of Mexico, a concession from the Executive of the United States of Mexico, subject to legislative

ratification to the effect in substance, that for a period of twenty years, from October 31, 1903, no right, privilege or concession shall be granted by the United States of Mexico to any person or corporation, other than the National Railroad Company, to construct, maintain, or operate any railroad of any kind (except branch or local lines connecting only with the trunk lines of the National Railroad) in a zone extending along the Northeasterly boundary of Mexico bounded on the Northeast by the Rio Grande River and on the Southwest by a line drawn 50 kilometres southwest therefrom and parallel therewith, and lying between the Gulf of Mexico and the meridian running through a point on the Rio Grande River distant 100 kilometres northwest from Ciudad Porûrio Diaz, in the State of Coahulla, measured along said river. This, it is expected, will prevent for twenty years the construction of any line in the zone above described which would compete with your Company for through traffic with the United States. This concession will also provide for its termination on January 1, 1907, unless the Railroad Company shall within three years from January 1, 1904, complete its line from Monterey to Matamoras (whereof about 140 miles remain to be built), and will also provide that on the application of the Railroad Company the United States of Mexico will consent to the consolidation of the ownership and operation of the properties of the National Railroad Company of Mexico, the Mexicon International Railroad Company (already con-

trolled by your Company) and the Interoceanic Railway Company, a total of about 3,304 miles.

The Agreement with the Government contemplates the conversion of the \$33,350,000 common stock of your Company into two classes of stock, whereof \$22,233,333 1-3 is to be known as second preferred stock and \$11,116,666 2-3 is to be known as deferred stock. The second preferred stock is to be entitled to receive dividends thereon if and when earned and declared, up to, but not exceeding, 5 per cent. It any year before any dividend shall be paid on the deferred stock, but such preferred dividends shall no be cumulative. After the payment in any year of dividends of 4 per cent, on the existing preferred stock and of 5 per cent. on the second preferred stock holders of the second preferred stock and of the de-ferred stock shall be entitled to rank on an equality in the distribution of any profits that may then be distributed in dividends. If and when declared. Said second preferred stock and said deferred stock shall be issued only in exchange for and in conversion of the existing common stock of your Company. and at the rate of two shares of second preferred stock and one share of deferred stock for every three shares of existing common stock. The Government has consented to include, as part of the shares to be purchased from us, the total issue of deferred stock which may be offered during a limited period, at the price of \$10 per share in cash.

The rights of the existing preferred stock will not be affected in any manner by the proposed arrange

Holders of common stock voting trust certificates who may desire to avail themselves of the benefit of this arrangement must deposit their voting trust certificates, accompanied by proper assignments thereof, executed in blank, in New York with MESSRS. SPEYER & CO., or in LONDON with MESSRS. SPEYER BROTHERS, or in AMSTERDAM with MESSRS. TELXEIRA DE MATTOS BROTHERS, on or before the 10th day of June, 1903. For voting trust certificates, so deposited, Receipts will be given entitling the holders thereof, on October 31, 1903, and on the surrender of such Deposit Receipts, to receive certificates for second preferred stock to the amount of two-thirds of the common stock called for by voting trust certificates so deposited respectively, and to a cash payment at the rate of \$3.33 per share of such common stock, or, at our option, to the return, free of charge, of voting trust certificates for the same number of shares of common stock so deposited. Stock certificates for second preferred stock will be issued only in shares of \$100 each. Any fractional amounts of second preferred stock must be adjusted in cash, by the holders of the Deposit Receipts at the time of their surrender, at prices to be

fixed by Speyer & Co. by sale or by purchase of such fractional amounts as may be required to even their The consummation of the Agreement above referred to is dependent upon a sufficiently large number of stockholders depositing their common stock voling trust certificates for conversion and disposit

Railroad Company, act for a period of ten years as the fiscal agents of the Company.

The Voting Trustees are of the opinion that the consummation of the purchase by the Government and of the plan outlined above will so strengthen the position of the Company and safeguard the inter

ests of its security holders in the future that they will be justified in dissolving the Voting Trust.

We consider the arrangement outlined above as eminently advantageous to the holders of all bonds and shares of the National Ratiroad Company of Mexico, and we strongly recommend your prompt acceptance and your depositing hereunder the common stock voting trust certifi-Holders of large amounts have already signified their approval by depositing their common stock

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The undersigned have, as a committee, prepared a plan for cooperation between holders of the Preferred Stock of the United States Leather Company. This has been done upon the request of important holders, and the committee has to-day issued a circular stating the principal features of the plan, and accompanied by a circular of approval by many of the largest stockholders. The necessity for the plan is due primarily to three circumstances: (1) The accusal of about hitry seven per cent. of unpaid dividends upon the preferred stock: (2) the accumulation by the Leather Company of a surplus equal to more than thirty per cent, upon its preferred stock (the available portion of such surplus being largely represented by first mortgage bonds of the Central Pennsylvania Lumber Company) and the obvious propriety that the preferred stock should promptly receive some part of this; and (3) the prohibition contained in the charter of the Company against the issuance of bonds or debentures, or the making of a mortgage either by the Company itself or by any company of which it holds a majority of the stock.

The plan is embodied in an agreement between the Assenting Preferred stock holders, the Morton Trust Company, subject to the provisions of the agreement which has been prepared under the direction of Mcssrs. Edward M. Shepard of New York, John G. Johnson of Philadelphia, and R. V. Lindabury of Newark, N.J. The agreement provides for the riving of the 80 per cent, consent, as may be proper, and further provides a power to accept for the Assenting Preferred Stockholders the payment of portlons of their dividends in securities now in the treasury of the Leather Company. Without such a provision to be best interests of the company might not for a long time permit a dividend on account of the arrearage. The plan is believed to be in the interest not only of the preferred stockholders and the Company itself, but of the common stockholders.

The advantage to the preferred stockholders of a prompt adoption of the plan is believed t

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The programme begins with the Horace Mann School commencement exercises on Tuesday next. On Wednesday the Barnard graduation dance will be held in the university gymnasium and Friday the Barnard class day exercises will be held in the Brinckerhoff Theatre. Saturday will be devoted to a regatta off the Gould boathouse on the Hudson. On Sunday afternoon the baccalaureate sermon will be preached in the University gymnasium by the Rev. Dr. George A. Gordon of the Old South Church, Boston.

On Monday, June 8, there will be a baseball game between the faculty and the senior class on South Field and class day exercises in the gymnasium. In the evening the graduation dance will take place in the gymnasium. From June 8 to 15 there will be an architectural exhibition in Havemeyer Hall. On June 9 there will be Phi Beta Kappa meetings and a reception to the faculty and alumni and graduation dance at Teachers' College.

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June 10 will be commencement day. The academic procession of guests, trustees, faculties and graduating classes will march from the library to the gymnasium, where the degrees will be conferred. Afterward there will be alumni luncheons and reunions, alumni baseball games and in the evening a graduation class dinner. the evening a graduation class dinner and a "kneipe."

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White County, Ind., Court House.
TWENTIETH. Mrs. E. F. McGuire of 3255 Third avenue. 38 years old, has had to depend on an artificial palate made of hard rubber for seventeen years. A few days ago, while she was taking a drink of milk, part of the palate broke off and slipped into her throat. She narrowly escaped choking to death.

Mrs. McGuire was born with a cleft palate, and suffered from it until she was 21 years old, when a Boston physician advised the removal of the teeth in her upper jaw and the substitution of false teeth with the rubber palate attached to the plate with hinges. Until this device was tried she had been unable to talk distinctly. Mrs. McGuire says the cost of the false teeth and palate was \$150 and that she had it insured for \$100. She has sent it to Boston to the physician who made it for reficial palate made of hard rubber for seventon to the physician who made it for re-She can't talk or eat solid food now

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Dr. Wilton Merie Smith Gives This Motto

Commencement exercises at New York University were continued vesterday with the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class in the college chapel by Dr. Wilton Merle Smith of the Central Presbyterian Church of this city. On Saturday the annual reunion and banquet of the alumni

Dr. Smith took for his text for the sermon the motto which had been given to his own class at graduation twenty years ago: "Do it with all your heart." He urged upon the graduates the importance of greater the graduates the importance of greater earnestness and more heartfelt application to work in after life than their college courses demanded of them. He condemned the littleness and cynicism which he said is so often the result of a college education, and spoke of the broadmindedness which real struggle brings.

To-night the students will gather on the library steps for the last time this year for an hour of song in the early evening. Class day on Tuesday will include the president's address, the presentation oration, the classical power and ivy exercises and the senior

MUST BUTTON COATS WAY UP. Change of Uniform for Conductors-Can

The conductors and motormen of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company are complaining over an order recently made by the company requiring them to wear a new-style coat and keep it buttoned up while on duty. The new coat is a sort of blouse and buttons right up to the collar, leaving no room for a display of shirt front or of neckwear styles, as the old coats of the ordinary pattern have done.

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There have been frequent complaints made by patrons of the company of the untidiness of the linen of the men, and it is said that the new uniform has been designed with the view of concealing this. According to the kickers the blouse is uncomfortable, buttoned right to the neck, and will be a positive hardship to them when the hot weather comes, to which they say it is unfair to submit them just because they can't afford a clean shirt every day. The order is that the men must wear them if they want to run cars, and nearly all the men have lately appeared in them.

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George E. Plunkit CONTINENTAL TOBACCO COMPANY.

May 28, 1903.

A dividend of 4% was to-day declared on the common stock of Continental Tobacco Company.

payable on July 2d to stockholders of record July 1st, 1903.

H. D. KINGSBURY, Treasurer.

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ENGINEERS' REALTY COMPANY.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

New York City, N. Y., May 26th, 1903.

A Special Meeting of the Stockholders of Engineers' Realty Company will be held on the eightheap of June, 1903, at 250 o clock P. M., at the office of said Company at No. 37; Fifth Avenue in the Horough of Manhatan of the City of New York, in the State of New York, for the purpose of voting upon a resolution to increase the capital stock of said Company from One hundred thousand bollars, consisting of one thousand sarres of the part value of One hundred and forty thousand bollars, as consist of one thousand soor hundred shafes of the part value of the hundred Dollars each.

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GEORGE E. WEED, Secretary.

JEWS' STORY OF KISHINEFF.

AN OFFICIAL ACCOUNT FROM THE RELIEF BOARD'S CHAIRMAN.

Anti-Serritic Newspaper the Sole Cause for Changing a Peaceful Community to a Jew-Hating Centre-Even Intelli-

gent Russians Egged the Rioters On. The Jewish Morning Journal has received by mail the following from the chairman of the relief committee in Kishineff:

It was not the economic condition, but the press, notably the Bessgrabitz, the only newspaper of Kishineff besides the official Gabernski Vyedomosti, that caused the outbreak. It was founded about six years ago and was quite decent at the beginning, but became more virulent as time passed on. It is remarkable that the Bessarabitz always seemed to have enough means, although it had few

readers New and hitherto unknown things began to happen in Kishineff. Jews were defeated in local elections and when it came to the selection of the three Jewish members of the City Council men who are known to be out of sympathy with the Jewish community were chosen. The benevolent institutions in which Jews and Christians worked totgether were neglected by the latter, and a new charitable society called after the Bessarabitz was founded, in which Editor Krushevan and his henchmen were the leading spirits. In addition to this slow dissemination of

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In addition to this slow dissemination of hatred and dissension in the peaceful community, something happened before Passover to revive the old story of blood accusations. A Christian servant girl in the house of a Jewish merchant committed suicide Dypoisoning herseit. The Christian hospital is too far away, so she was taken to the Jewish hospital, which is near by. The police were notified and the procureur (District Attorney) took the girl's and-morrem statement that she died by her own hand and that her employer was in no way to blame for her act.

But rumors began to spread about the Jews and about the approaching Passover, and everybody began to feel uneasy. Jews discovered to their horror that there were even intelligent men who believed the accustion made, some only qualifying it by saying that not all the Jews require Christion blood for ritual purposes, but some Jewish sects, maybe the Zionists. As fate would have it the Zionists had just then issued an announcement that they were selling matzos for the coming Passover to ald the poor who could not pay the regular prices for that article. Some Christians thought they saw a connection and the situation became more serious.

There were a few small disturbances on the first Seder night (April II) and circulars were distributed in the Café Moskva that the Jews ought to be attacked. A waiter in that place later declared that he received the bundle of circulars accompanied by a letter which ordered him, on pensity of being killed if herefused, to distribute them among the visitors. Everybody, including the authorities, began to expect trouble.

On Saturday night, the night preceding the outbreak, special guards were placed at the turnpike at the various entrances to the city, with orders not to admit groups of men. The guardsmen later gave as an excuse that they admit the single pensant observed to begin on Sinday at 2 o'clock and when they be deed to begin on sunday at 2 o'clock hatred and dissension in the peaceful com-

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Boone, Ia., Water Works.
Clarke County, Wash., Funding: Refunding.
Clinton, Ia., Independent School District School
Funding.
Caurd'Alene, Ida., Independent School District No.
1. School Site.

Nearly Choked to Death.

Broken.
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There were others, but few instances, of Christians assisting Jews. Some did not want to place the holy images in the window, as did most of the others, saying that it was not their duty to point out to the rioters which house is inhabited by a Christian and which by a Jew. Dr. W ordered his servants to protect several houses belonging to poor Jews, which were thus saved. Mr. D. opened his house to all Jews who came to save themselves, even those who were unknown to him, Many Christians on the other hand refused to admit even their acquaintances. Dr. M. shut the door in the face of one well known to him, remarking that he wanted to have nothing to do with a Jew. When it was required, after the riot, that Christians should attest a statement of the outrages committed, only four Christians were found who consented to sign their names.

In the days after the riots when martial law was proclaimed, many peasants came from the surrounding country and begred to be admitted to Kishineff for but one hour? The soldiers had hard work to keep back these would-be plunderers.

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\$100,000 Fire in Canton, Chie DA CANTON, Ohio, May 31 .- The plant of the John Danner Manufacturing Company making revolving and sectional bookcases and office specialties, was destroyed by fire this afternoon at a loss of about \$100,000. Six residences and one stable were also on

The List of Referees. The following is a list of referees appointed to cases in the Supreme Court last week:

By Justice Greenbaum.

Sylvan Bler.
Alex. T. Mason.
E. B. Whitney.
M. Wartey Platzek.
George W. Neugana.
Daniel P. Hays. By Justice Dugro. Augustus Van Wyck. William H. Harris. Delano C. Calvin.

Am. Sav. Bank vs. Hanford Mitton S. Guiterman.
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Stull vs. Stull. George E. Plunkitt.
Brown vs. Brown. William G. Choate.
Pierce vs. G. A. Fuller Co. Charles F. Brown.
Matter of Hayland. Abraham R. Lawrence
Begrart vs. Morris.
Reilly vs. Clark. Thomas B. Oxborn. Pierce vs. G. A. Hayland. Abraham Matter of Hayland. Morris Cu Bogart vs. Morris Morris Cu Reilly vs. Clark. Thomas F By Justice Leventrit.

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Goodman's Gladstone. Solon Berrick.
McAullife's Gabay. Abraham L. Jaeo
McAdam's Scheel. William D. Sporie.
Bowers vs. Waegele. Miles M. O'Brien.
N. Y. Bidg. Loan Banking.
Co. vs. O'Neil. Raphael Tobias.
Stetson vs. Lahn. Emmet R. Olcott. Solon Berrick.
Abraham L. Jacobs.
William D. Sporborg.
Miles M. O'Brien. By Justice Truax.

By Justice Gildersleeve.
Smith vs. Smith Franklyn Paddook.
By Justice Fitzgerald. N. Y. Life Ins. Co. vs. Taylor (3 cases) John E. Dugy. By Justice Davis Rhoades vs. Andrews Roger A. Pryor.